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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: Method and System for Public-Key-Based Secure Authentication to Distributed Legacy Applications

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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 36 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
☒ 3 Pages of Claims
☒ 11 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Informal)
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation
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CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$710)
Total Claims	35	-20 =	15 X \$ 18	= \$270
Independent Claims	10	-3 =	7 X \$ 80	= \$560
Multiple Dependent Claims	0		X \$270	= \$0
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